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1. Career News Items

No. 1

TAFE & Apprenticeships

TAFE Queensland East Coast’s MAKE Magazine
The latest edition of MAKE is out now, showcasing our students’ success stories and achievements. https://issuu.com/tafeeastcoast/docs/make_issuu

Private Colleges

Australian Institute of Personal Trainers (AIPT) Traineeships
Traineeships offer the opportunity to gain employment and a recognised fitness qualification. In some circumstances, there can be government funding depending on the trainee’s situation. http://www.aipt.edu.au/traineeships-courses/

Aviation Australia: Course FAQs
For those interested in working in the air, Aviation Australia has FAQs related to the courses they offer. http://www.aviationaustralia.aero/cabin-crew-faqs/

Metro Screen: Five Part Interview Series
A five-part series that covers the key areas needed to develop a career in the film industry. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qiLLT5gvaxw&feature=youtu.be

Other News

My Big Tomorrow
My Big Tomorrow is a resource designed to help young Australians realise bigger life choices. Here you can discover your dream career, experience a day in the life of someone doing that job and find out how they got there. http://www.mybigtomorrow.com.au/

ADFA Education Award
For current year 11 students: Award presented to year 12 students in recognition of leadership potential, and academic and sporting achievements exhibited during year 11. Award comprises of laptop and certificate along with plaque of recognition for your school. For eligibility and application: http://www.defencejobs.gov.au/education/adfa/howToApply/educationAward.aspx

FYA: The New Work Mindset
USA Study Opportunities
This website has information about studying in the USA and can help when deciding which college suits you. http://www.internationallyeducated.com.au/

13 Places to Search for Jobs

The Good Universities Guide
University Pathways – The Facts:
Five Advantages of Apprenticeships and Traineeships:

H2Oz
This website from the Australian Water Association has information and job postings about careers relating to water.
http://www.h2oz.org.au/

2. Career News Items

No. 2
 Universities

5 Things to think about when choosing a university course

You can’t judge a course by its entry score

Insights into career change
These articles from Deakin University highlight the careers of two people who made significant changes.
http://this.deakin.edu.au/this/one-students-journey-from-podiatrist-to-policy-reformer
http://this.deakin.edu.au/study/one-students-career-change-from-paramedic-to-engineer

The new School of Earth and Environmental Sciences at the University of Queensland
Year 12 students who have a calling for Geology and Earth Sciences may want to look into this new area of study as it has been ranked number 1 in Australia for Life Sciences in the Times Higher Education Ranking. Click this link to find out more:

Want to study Medicine once you finish year 12?
UMAT Applications are open now! Closing at 5:00pm AEST June 2nd 2017.
UMAT2017 will be held on 26 July 2017.
UMAT is a test that is used to assist with the selection of students into medicine, dentistry and health science degrees at an undergraduate level.
https://umat.acer.edu.au
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Study Childcare online with TAFE
Jump into your new career with studying online with TAFE. Check out the following link about studying childcare online, while earning money as you go!
Like TAFE Queensland Brisbane on Facebook here:
https://www.facebook.com/TAFEBrisbane

Download the 2017 TAFE Gold Coast Course Guide here!
https://issuu.com/gcitaus/docs/16-0446_course_guide_2017_digital_f

Flexible study options at TAFE East Coast
TAFE East Coast offers its students flexible study options for all types of learning styles. Click here to find out more:
Like TAFE East Coast on Facebook here: https://www.facebook.com/TAFEeastcoast/

Queensland Training award nominations for 2017 are now open!
If you know someone who is an outstanding student, apprentice, trainee, or educator check out this website to nominate yourself or someone else for the 2017 Queensland Training Awards. Awards are open NOW, closing 31st March 2017. Click here for more information:
https://training.qld.gov.au/qta/enter

Download the 2017 TAFE North Course Guide here!

Private Colleges

CoffeeSchool.com.au offers the best hospitality training courses
The Accredited Barista course is comprised of five hours’ classroom delivery and online written assessment. For more information, click the following link:

Other News

What to say when the hiring manager asks, 'Why should we hire you?'

Camp Leaders America Applications for Summer 2017 Season
Applications are now open for Camp Leaders for the Summer Season in the USA. For further information or to complete an application refer to the website below.
http://www.campleaders.com/au/summer-season/

Young Citizen of the Year Award
The young citizen of the year award is open for nominations which can be made through local council’s websites or their service centres.
National Indigenous Youth Parliament 2017
Indigenous youth, aged 16 to 25 can now register their interest for youth parliament in 2017. The opportunity will allow them to learn about democracy and contribute to discussions on the future of Australia. For more information click the following link:
To register your interest for NIYP 2017, click this link:
https://formupload.aec.gov.au/Form?FormId=niyp

The Australian Indigenous Education Foundation
The Australian Indigenous Education Foundation (AIEF) provides scholarships to leading schools and tertiary residential colleges through the AIEF Scholarship Program.
To view the scholarship and educational opportunities available to indigenous students, visit:

National Institute of Fitness Career Profiles
Ideal for anyone interested in a career in the fitness industry, this webpage contains a number of profiles on how to become a fitness professional and what attributes fitness and health organisations are looking for in potential employees.
http://fitness.edu.au/your-career/

How to organise your study sessions
http://this.deakin.edu.au/study/how-to-organise-your-study-sessions

Alternative pathways to higher education

Figuring out what to do with your life
If you’re feeling overwhelmed by choice or trapped by a decision you’ve made, here are some tips that can help you on your way to satisfaction in your career.

Australian Jobs
The Australian Jobs publication provides an overview of the Australian employment market and highlights which industries and occupations have experienced change.

Meet an Early Childhood Teacher

How to survive year 12
Starting Year 12 this year? Click this link to find out how to survive the year:
The Good Universities Guide also gives tips on how to survive year 12. Click here to find out more: https://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/education-blogs/tertiary-study/year-12-survival-tips
How to prepare for year 12
Want to get a head start for year 12? Study TV host Rowan, a Sydney University Graduate of Law, has compiled a number of tips in multiple YouTube videos about how to prepare for year 12. Click this link to find out more: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCrZDmupZ99dfVf1fVMkFukHA
For constant videos and interviews with top students who reveal how they achieved their amazing academic success head over to: http://www.studytelevision.com
Like them on Facebook for video updates: http://on.fb.me/mMbNCV

Study smarter this year
Wanting to study smarter this year? Watch this video summarising Marty Lobdell’s “Study Less Study Smart” video. Watch here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=23Xqu0jXlfs
For tips on studying throughout all areas of education, whether high school or university, Subscribe to Thomas Frank (College Info Geek) here on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCG-KntY7aVnIGXYEBQvmBAQ

Adult Careers Expo
This event is designed to help adults narrow down their career pathways and set themselves in the direction of their passion. The Expo was recently awarded ‘2016 Best Career Exhibition Events Australia’. Click this link to find out more: http://www.reinventyourcareer.com.au/brisbane-visit-expo/about-the-expo/

Be work smart with this pre-employment manual
This practical book allows Queenslanders to understand and learn about how to get and keep a job. Click this link for further information: https://training.qld.gov.au/training/career/be-work-smart

Stay well informed this year with the QCAA Student Connect magazine
The magazine is published twice a year where it gives year 12 students important information regarding their studies as well as useful advice about future education/careers. Click this link to download your latest version of the magazine: https://www.qcaa.qld.edu.au/publications/newsletters-magazines/student-connect-magazine

3. Career News Items

No. 3
Universities

The Good Universities Guide
The Good Universities Guide offers a search engine for scholarships. Click here to find out if you can get financial assistance for your studies: https://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/scholarships

Study Assist
Study Assist offers information for students about government assistance for financing tertiary education. Click this link to access the search engine page for Study Assist: http://studyassist.gov.au/sites/StudyAssist/
University of Sunshine Coast Campus Tours
Wednesday 22\textsuperscript{nd} March at Sippy Downs.
Prospective students can tour the campus and learn about scholarships, accommodation, the application process, and courses on offer. There are three events on offer:
• Campus Tour
• Engineering Learning Hub Tour
• Planning your career session presentation

STEM High School Research Internship at QUT
Applications open from the 23 January 2017 via the STEM for Schools website: https://www.qut.edu.au/study/undergraduate-study/do-you-advise-school-students/stem-for-schools
The QUT High School Research Internships program offers 20 senior high school students an exclusive opportunity to contribute to the real-world of research under the mentorship of esteemed QUT scientists.
Important dates for the program include:
• Lab Skills Induction at QUT: Thursday afternoon, 30\textsuperscript{th} March
• Work placement week: Monday 3\textsuperscript{rd} April- Thursday 7\textsuperscript{th} April
• Teacher placement visit and morning tea: Friday 7\textsuperscript{th} April
• Final Presentation Evening: Wednesday 24\textsuperscript{th} May

Extra 200 places for NYSF 2018 at The University of Queensland
Another 200 places will be available for year 12 students to attend the National Youth Science Forum (NYSF) in January 2018 due to the NYSF’s new in-principle agreement with The University of Queensland. https://outlook.nysf.edu.au/national-youth-science-forum-nysf-signs-university-queensland-january-2018/

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Apprenticeships & Traineeships
Who can apply for an apprenticeship or traineeship?
Why consider an apprenticeship or traineeship?
What is the difference between apprenticeships and traineeships?

Australian Apprenticeships Pathways
This website offers a pre-apprenticeship course finder. The pre-apprenticeship course aims to develop skills & knowledge in specific areas of industry that can lead students to an apprenticeship or traineeship. Click this link for more information:

Want to study in Australia?
Study in Australia with TAFE Queensland. Click this link to find out what life in Australia is like with studying at TAFE: https://international.tafeqld.edu.au/life-in-australia

TAFE Queensland offers a range of course guides for international students
Click this link to download your preferred course guide:
https://international.tafeqld.edu.au/courses/course-guides
Private Colleges

Endeavour College of Natural Health
Follow your heart to a degree in Natural Health. Study a Bachelor of Complementary Medicine 100% online. [https://www.endeavour.edu.au/courses/bachelor-of-complementary-medicine](https://www.endeavour.edu.au/courses/bachelor-of-complementary-medicine)

College for Law Education and Training online
College for Law offers courses online. CLET is a training organisation delivering nationally recognised qualifications online, specialising in law, business management, and government studies. [http://www.clet.edu.au](http://www.clet.edu.au)

Considering a career in games, 3D or VFX?
Sat 27th May, 11am – 4pm (AEST)
If you have ever wanted to study 3D animation, game design or VFX for film online with AIE then the Online Experience Day is an ideal opportunity to find out about the programs the Academy of Interactive Entertainment offers without attending an open day in person. [http://www.aie.edu.au/oed](http://www.aie.edu.au/oed)

Other News

CSIRO Indigenous Cadetships and Traineeships
The CSIRO Indigenous Cadetship and Traineeship scholarships are open now. There are a wide range of careers and opportunities available across all states. Indigenous Cadetships and Traineeships are advertised at various dates throughout the year via the current vacancies portal found on the website below: [https://www.csiro.au/en/Careers/Opportunities-for-Aboriginal-and-Torres-Strait-Islander-peoples/Indigenous-Traineeships-and-Cadetships](https://www.csiro.au/en/Careers/Opportunities-for-Aboriginal-and-Torres-Strait-Islander-peoples/Indigenous-Traineeships-and-Cadetships)
Not all scholarships are awarded for academic merit, some are for students experiencing financial or home hardships. Click the link above to find out more about this scholarship.

My Big Tomorrow
Students can investigate a range of career pathways with this interactive website. My Big Tomorrow also has resources for Educators and Parents to help with lesson planning and assistance with career options. [http://www.mybigtomorrow.com.au](http://www.mybigtomorrow.com.au)

Be Work Ready!

Year 12 Action Plan
This Career Action Plan from the Victorian Government is useful for all year 12 students to help plan their futures, and includes handy checklists of things you should do to be prepared for applying for jobs and tertiary study. [http://www.education.vic.gov.au/school/teachers/teachingresources/careers/carframe/Pages/yr12apply.aspx](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/school/teachers/teachingresources/careers/carframe/Pages/yr12apply.aspx)

A record for the University of WA: Six Aboriginal Medical students graduated in 2016
Watch this Facebook link for more information about these graduates: [https://www.facebook.com/abcnews.au/videos/10155772141074988](https://www.facebook.com/abcnews.au/videos/10155772141074988)

Careers Online provides a Job Search resource
Click this link to search by category or specific job to find vacancies: [http://www.careersonline.com.au/vacancies/](http://www.careersonline.com.au/vacancies/)
World Education Program offers Online Information Sessions
Want to go on a student exchange? Where can I go and when? Who will I stay with? What support will my child receive?
These questions can all be answered with WEP's online information skype sessions. Fill out your details on the WEP Info session page and submit to arrange a skype time.
https://wep.org.au/lets-talk/sessions/

Australian Institute of Physics Congress Highlights
The AIP held their Congress in Brisbane in December. Interested students can see the highlights of the Congress online or check out #BrisPhys16 on Twitter.

4. The British Aviation Experience
Two weeks in U.K. for teenagers age 14-18

This unique two-week course in the U.K., for boys and girls (14-18 years), will give an insight into what it is like to work within the aviation industry. We currently have programmes commencing 22nd July and 19th August 2017. They will experience many aspects of life as a pilot, including flying lessons on light aircraft, Boeing 747 simulator, and emergency training with British Airways. Also visits to aviation museums, airline headquarters as well as some exciting recreational activities, sightseeing in London and Cardiff. The students will stay in the halls of residence of Brunel University in London, where they will also have English lessons most days. There will be some talks with pilots and other airline professionals as well.

This is a really good way to help young people to decide whether or not they would like a career in aviation and is a wonderful experience for the participants. They will go home with improved English language, flying experience, a broader outlook on life having spent time with other kids from around the world, not to mention having a lot of fun during the two weeks.

The net price is £3,190 (GBP) + 20% VAT which includes accommodation, local transport and all activities, excluding flights to London.

Please follow the link http://www.brookfieldav.com/education-projects for further details.

Our video can be found on https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EqdV_qoW6BI

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Best regards,
Todd

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Dear Parents/Carers of Year 11 and 12 students,

Each year road crashes cause unnecessary trauma to too many Queensland families. Many of our students will suffer either death or serious injury soon after leaving school, or after obtaining their provisional licences. Statistics show that the first three months of a young driver’s provisional licence are the most at risk period in their driving career. We believe that we can help avoid this trauma by educating students at this early stage in their driving experience.

There are many driver safety programs aimed at our young drivers, but Roadcraft has the only program with a proven track record of over thirty years. The principle objective of all Roadcraft courses is to achieve behavioural change through the presentation of appropriate knowledge. All our courses are presented in a positive framework for maximum learning outcomes.

Courses are fully integrated units and cover driver attitude, vehicle dynamics and the environment. We use closely correlated theoretical and practical exercises to ensure an understanding and commitment to the application and retention of safe driving concepts. You can view our Student Driver Course Video for further information http://www.roadcraft.org.au/#!about1/c11q7

We offer our Driver Awareness course to students for a greatly reduced price of $195 per student, however if this course is undertaken by the general public it is priced at $449 per person.

I urge you to book your child into one of these potentially life-saving courses.

Good Shepherd Lutheran College has booked the 2 day program at Roadcraft. It is scheduled to run in Semester 2 2017, on Wednesday 4 and Thursday 5 October, which is week 1 of Term 4.

Only 24 places are available. The full cost is approximately $260. This includes: transport to and from the college each day, all meals plus course costs. (Note: An extra $10 is charged for special dietary needs.)

Specific information and College Permission Forms will be emailed directly to parents whose son/daughter’s name has been registered. Students registered must return form & payment ASAP to secure their place in the course.

If you require further details please contact Mr Handreck at Good Shepherd Lutheran College.

Kind regards

Sharlene Makin
CEO - Roadcraft Driver Education
6. School Based Traineeship Opportunities
Week Ending 27th January 2017

Prestige Service Training

Snapshot – Sunshine Coast
School Based Traineeship Opportunities
Week Ending: 27th January 2017

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<td>Noosaville x 2 positions available</td>
<td>The Coffee Training Company</td>
<td>One of the best barista skills trainers around! Seeking 2 people who are; Keen to learn; Genuinely interested in the art of coffee</td>
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<td>Noosa Junction x 1 position available</td>
<td>Sweet Tempered Chocolate</td>
<td>An iconic chocolate shop that attracts the locals and tourists. Apply if you are; A customer service superstar; Able to work well in a team; Friendly and bubbly</td>
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<td>Doonan x 1 position available</td>
<td>Doonan Café</td>
<td>This café has a very zen and tranquil environment with relaxed staff. Come and join the team!</td>
<td>17/02/2017</td>
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<td>Tewantin x 2 positions available</td>
<td>Harbour Wine Bar</td>
<td>Join the amazing team in this beautiful location. Harbour Wine Bar attracts the locals and tourists with its ideal water views.</td>
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<td>Peregian x 1 position available</td>
<td>Pitchfork Restaurant</td>
<td>One of the Sunshine Coast’s top restaurants is looking for someone who has; A can do attitude; The ability to power up when needed; Excellent customer service skills; Great presentation</td>
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<td>Sunshine Plaza Maroochydore x 2 positions available</td>
<td>Sumo Salad</td>
<td>Work in a busy food court with Sumo Salad, seeking someone who; Has lots of energy, motivation and a love of healthy food</td>
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<td>Gloria Jeans</td>
<td>Work in a renowned coffee shop. Apply if you are; Someone who is reliable, honest, friendly and dedicated to making excellent coffee; Willing to learn barista skills, customer service skills and cashing.</td>
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### 7. Dates For Your Diary

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<td>1 Drummond Dr Gympie <a href="http://www.roadcraft.org.au/#labout1/c11q7">http://www.roadcraft.org.au/#labout1/c11q7</a></td>
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